THE DECATUR MORNING REVIEW.

VOL. VI. NO. 289 — DECATUR, ILL., SATURDAY MORNING, AUG. 9, 1884. — 10 CTS. PER WEEK

THE BIG LOSS SALE!

Will Continue at

JOHN IRWIN'S

WHITE FRONT

UNTIL AUG., 10th.

Fine Custom Made Pants worth	$9.00	now	$5.40
" " " " "	8.00	"	4 80
" " " " "	7.50	"	4.50
" " " " "	7.00	"	4 20
" " " " "	6.00	"	3.60
" " " " "	5.00	"	3.00
" " " " "	4 50	"	2.70
" " " " "	4 00	"	2 40

Good Jeans Pants 60c, 75c; Best, $1.20.

A Large and Elegant Stock of

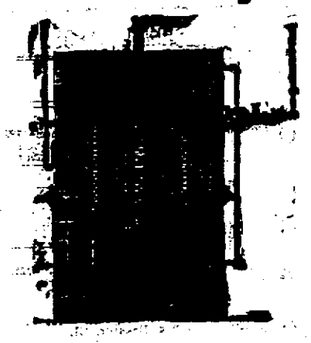
Men's, Youths' and Children's Suits

Just received, and will open for Inspection and Sale after the 10th inst.

WHITE FRONT

Revolving Sign near postoffice.

Korsmeyer & O'Neill!



Practical Plumbers, Steam and Gas Fitters, Agents for Bates' Self-Feeding Boilers for Heating and Ventilating Residences and Public Buildings. Estimates and Specifications furnished on application.

Also dealers in Gas Fixtures, Bath Tubs, Sinks, Hose, Force and Lift Pumps, Glazed Sewer Pipe, Iron and Slate Mantles and Grates.

259 N. Main St., Decatur, Ill.

☞ Special Attention given to work in the country.

ATTENTION!

F. SKELLEY

Wishes to show you his Immense Stock of Staple and Fancy

GROCERIES

—At his place of Business—

North Side Franklin St

South East Corner New Square.

He has also on hand

Lewis' Condensed Baking Powder.

HEAD QUARTERS

—FOR—

GROCERIES

—AND—

PROVISIONS

ALL KINDS OF FRUITS AND CANNED GOODS

TEA and COFFEE

A Specialty, and at Lowest Prices.

D. H. HEILMAN

BUTLER'S CAMPAIGN.

The Avowed Candidacy of the Massachusetts Statesman Causes a Furore Among Politicians.

A Conference Between His Friends and Tammany Leaders that Has a Suspicious Look.

General A. M. West, of Mississippi, to Be Nominated as Butler's Running Mate.

Will Butler Do Harm?

IF SO, TO WHOM?

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—The declaration of General Butler that he will be an active candidate for the Presidency was the important topic of discussion in political circles yesterday. Butler is confident of making such a showing this year that in 1888 he will be the candidate of the Democrats, workingmen, reformers, Socialists, Greenbackers, and every other element opposed to the Republican party. Butler's programme is to devote all his energy to New York and Massachusetts. John Kelly said that Butler's acceptance put an entirely new face on the situation, that he was popular with the working classes, that he would poll a large vote, and would greatly complicate the canvass. General Roger Pryor was wild with enthusiasm, and declared that Butler would poll 40,000 votes in New York County, and thus defeat Cleveland. Tammany is very much pleased if the feelings of half a dozen sachems interviewed at the city hall is any indication of the general feeling. There is no doubt but that Tammany will formally indorse Cleveland in due time, but it will be precisely such an indorsement as it gave Hancock, and will amount to the same. A Tammany Alderman described the situation to-night when he said: "Republicans admit that Butler will poll 50,000 in this State, which is just what they want him to do to make the electoral vote certain for Blaine. The prediction is even made that Cleveland will withdraw in favor of Butler before October 10. The Greenbackers, Anti-Monopolists and Labor party men have been wildly jubilant all day."

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 8.—A conference was held at the Grand Union last evening which lasted nearly till midnight, between leading Tammany and Butler men. It was unquestionably in the interest of Butler. There seems to be little doubt that Tammany will support Butler. John Kelly says that Butler will poll twice more votes than his strongest supporter at present dares to prophesy.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—B. F. Shively, Secretary of the Anti-Monopolists, is authority for the statement that General West, of Mississippi, will be named as the candidate for Vice-President on the ticket with General Butler. General West is the nominee of the Greenbackers for the Vice-Presidency. He was a Confederate General in the late war, and his nomination is for the purpose of securing Southern votes.

The Mississippi River Improvements.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Major Ernst, of the corps of engineers in charge of the improvement of the Mississippi between the Illinois and Ohio rivers, and other minor improvements, has made his annual report. The original estimate for the improvement as revised in 1883 was $16,097,100; the aggregate amount appropriated to July 5, 1884, is $3,364,600. There is available for the present fiscal year $525,354, and an appropriation of $1,000,000 is asked for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1886. It is proposed to expend the appropriation in carrying out the plan heretofore adopted. This is to first improve the part of the river below St. Louis, to make the improvement continuous, beginning at St. Louis and working down the stream, reclaiming the land and building up new banks and reducing the river to an approximately uniform width of about 2,500 feet.

Bank Officials to Be Tried for Felony.

PETERSBURG, Va., Aug. 8.—A conclusion was reached yesterday by the Grand Jury, which has been investigating the causes which led to the failure of the Planters and Mechanics' Bank. The Grand Jury finds presentments for felony against Thomas Whyte, Cashier; W. W. Whyte, Teller; John Beckwith, book-keeper; and for misdemeanor against J. S. Young, President, H. B. Parker, Vice-President, and John C. Drake, Director. Bench-warrants are to be issued for the arrest of those indicted for felony. The cases of misdemeanor will be tried at the October term of the Hastings Court.

Indians Dying of Starvation.

HELENA, M. T., Aug. 8.—Leading citizens and the Board of Trade of Helena last evening wired a petition to the Secretary of the Interior urging immediate action for the relief of the one thousand Piegan Indians at the Blackfeet agency who, despite contrary reports, are actually starving. The death rate is great. The supply of provisions at the agency is almost exhausted, and the rations issued are so scant as to be insufficient to sustain life except for the plentiness of wild berries in the hills. Stockmen report many cattle killed on the ranges by starving Indians.

Disbelief in England's Professions of Friendliness.

The *North German Gazette* reproaches the English press for its persistent efforts to excite France against Germany. The paper says:

Recent events have awakened public opinion in Germany to the drift of the English policy, and are dissolving the belief in the friendly sentiments of the English for their German cousins. The attempts to excite hate between France and Germany are now happily seen through both in Paris and Berlin. Henceforth, if England's interests are opposed to the French, she must not look to Germany, but must act alone.

Blaine at Old Orchard.

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 8.—It is estimated that 25,000 persons were on hand yesterday to attend the encampment of the Grand Army. When Blaine arrived in the morning he was enthusiastically received. He held a reception at the Old Orchard House, where a great many passed in and shook hands with him and Governor Robie. He afterward addressed the veterans.

Victory for the "Mother Hubbard."

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 8.—The defendant in a "Mother Hubbard" dress case was dismissed Thursday, deference to public opinion causing the dolice chief not to prosecute. The style of dress involved is now worn more than ever

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

France's Troubles with Other Countries—Earthquakes in Italy—Other Matters.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The *Times'* dispatch from Foo Chow of this date says: "High authority here asserts that peace is certain. The American Minister is to arbitrate. A settlement will probably be reached which will be acceptable to both parties, but it is believed the settlement will be temporary only on the French side. The Chinese know that the French are anxious to act elsewhere."

Earl Granville, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, has instructed Sir John Lumley, the British Minister to Italy, to thank Italy for the support she gave the British proposals in the recent Egyptian Conference. England, he says, highly appreciates the attitude maintained by Italy in the conference. It indicates friendship for England and enlightened solicitude for the prosperity of Egypt.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—A letter from Antananarivo, dated July 6, says: "The Hovas are showing great spirit, and are determined to resist the French. The Queen has proclaimed negotiations at an end, and has ordered her subjects to prepare for war."

ROME, Aug. 8.—Four earthquake shocks occurred yesterday at Frascatti, Albano and Costelle Romani, a few miles southeast of Rome.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—A receiver has been appointed for the Royal Italian Opera Company. The company opened at Covent Garden on April 29, last, and has continued giving operatic performances at that theater since that date. Among the artistes appearing during the season were Patti, Lucca, Sembrich, Durand, Fursch, Madi, Crosmond, Laterner, Gertrude, Griswold, Velmi, and others.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 8.—News has been received from the Dutch arctic expedition that the William Barento anchored at the island of Vardoe, in the Arctic, off the north coast of Norway, on July 15, and proceeded northward on the 18th.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Advices from South Africa report a severe engagement between the followers of Monsenia and the Boers, in which the latter were defeated. Many warriors were killed, besides several Englishmen.

INDIGNANT BROADWAY PEOPLE.

New York's Board of Aldermen Thought to Have Been Bribed.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—The conduct of the Board of Aldermen which granted a franchise worth millions to President Sharpe, of the Broadway Surface Railway Company, came in for general discussion to-day in language very plain. The fact that every one but the Aldermen and the owners of the railroad stock are averse to the road, and that Mr. Belmont, John B. Haskin and others offered one million dollars for a franchise to build a road on Broadway, caused rumors of bribery to be set afloat. The Aldermen place their action upon the high ground of public expediency and rail at Alderman Grant, who alone had the courage to oppose the scheme, claiming that in doing so he was courting newspaper notoriety. An indignation meeting of property-owners will be called at Cooper Union and injunctions will be sought in the courts. Broadway property-owners and business men are determined to fight the road for all time, and will cause a thorough investigation to be made into the charge of wholesale bribery.

Congressional Nominations.

Candidates for Congress were chosen in various districts as follows Thursday:

Charles E. Brown, Republican, Second Ohio District; Benjamin Butterworth, Republican, First Ohio District; John O. Cravens, Republican, Fourth Indiana District; C. M. Andrews, Democrat, Fourth Ohio District, beating Murray, present incumbent; Randolph Tucker, Democrat, Tenth Virginia District; Kerr Craig, Democrat, Seventh South Carolina District; W. H. Weller, Republican, Fifth South Carolina District; Samuel Dipple, Democrat, First South Carolina District; John H. Hemphill, Democrat, Fifth South Carolina District; W. H. Perry, Democrat, Fourth South Carolina District, to succeed John H. Evans, who declines reelection; D. B. Henderson, Republican, Thirty-second Iowa District; Henry P. Harris, Democrat, Fourth Georgia District; Captain Elijah Little, Republican, Fifteenth Ohio District.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Aug. 8.—In the Eighth Congressional Convention after a session of three days, and on the 574th ballot, Clark County, at the personal request of Captain Bushnell, withdrew his name and cast its vote for Judge Little, of Greene County. This, with the vote of Greene, was sufficient to nominate, and Judge Little was accordingly chosen.

The Mormon Victory a Natural Result.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Private advices received from the Utah Commission at Salt Lake City state that the late sweeping Mormon triumph there was not unexpected in view of the failure of Congress last winter to act upon the recommendations of the Commission respecting the Edmunds bill. Governor Ramsey, Chairman of the commission, complains at the monotony attendant upon their duties, and the other members seem to be disheartened because they have not been able to accomplish anything beneficial in regulating polygamy in that Territory. They feel that Congress has not strengthened their hands as it should have done, and that the labors of the commission have failed in consequence.

Twelve Persons Killed in a Storm.

SEBASTOPOL, Aug. 8.—A severe hurricane and rain-storm visited this section yesterday. Twelve persons were killed. An immense amount of damage was done to property.

VIENNA, Aug. 8.—A violent hail-storm occurred yesterday in the Linz Grein and Kirchslag districts. Many persons were injured and a large number of buildings were washed away.

Great Depression in the Iron Trade.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 8.—The depression in the iron business of this city is said to be greater at present than for a number of years. Many mills that continued in operation through the panic of 1873 are now closed, while others that had plenty of orders then are now running slack. Fully seven thousand less men are required to perform the work than were engaged a year ago.

A Ten-Year-Old Boy Kills His Brother.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 8.—Two brothers, William and Thomas Jennings, aged respectively ten and twelve years, quarreled Wednesday near Piketown, Mo., when the younger plunged a knife into the neck of the other, severing the jugular vein and causing death in a few minutes.

Gold Imports.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—The steamer America brought $600,000 in gold bars to the Bank of British North America.

FLEURY,

The Only and Genuine French Cutter, will quote for the next 30 days the following prices which will enable everybody to buy a fine All-Wool Suit of Clothing for one half the money less than any store in Decatur, or in a larger city, in order to make room for the Fall Stock which we have just selected.

ALL WOOL SUITS, which are sold by all clothing houses for $12.00, we will sell at $8.00 and less than manufacturing prices, as we would rather loose money and give you the benefit of it, than carry our stock over for next year,

Also a GENUINE, ALL-WOOL CASSIMERE FROCK SUIT, never bought for less than $16.00, we will sell at $11.00, and everything in proportion on fine suits of Boy's Clothing, ranging from 12 to 17 years, at $5.00. These are facts and not merely figures, as it is true paper is timid and allows any torture you may inflict upon it, but these figures are facts and no humbugs. No prices to give away and charge it on other goods, but will save you the money and you may buy something more useful, as we will invite the general public for their inspection, and will prove every word we preach is true, and will practice the same. Remember for 30 DAYS ONLY when we will resume our Regular Prices.

FLEURY, The French Cutter.

Corner Old Square.

$11,950 IN CASH GIVEN AWAY

Premium No. 4635
$500
$450
$400
$350
$300
$275
$250
$225
$200
$175
$150
$125
$100
$90
$80
$70
$60
$50
$40
$30
$20
$10

Smokers of Blackwell's Genuine Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco will receive Premiums as follows on terms and conditions here specified:

1st PREMIUM, $5,000
2d " $2,000
3d " $1,000

22 other Premiums as here shown.

The 25 premiums will be awarded December 2, 1884. 1st Premium goes to the person from whom we receive the largest number of our empty tobacco bags *prior to Dec. 15.* 2d will be given for the next largest number and thus, in the order of the number of empty bags received from each, to the twenty-five successful contestants. Each bag must bear our original Bull Durham label, U. S. Revenue stamp, and Caution Notice. Bags must be done up securely in a package, with name and address of sender, and number of bags contained, plainly marked on the outside, and must be sent, charges prepaid, to Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Co., DURHAM, N. C. Every genuine package has picture of Bull.

See our next announcement.

It Can Cure

It is a fact that remedies almost without number, already contest the claim to cure all the ills that afflict suffering humanity. Thousands have found them powerless to work a cure for them.

No diseases have so baffled all attempts at permanent relief as have Rheumatism and Neuralgia. A long succession of disappointments has made their agonized victims despair of the possibility of cure. For centuries they have been considered beyond the power of medical skill to cure.

And yet we say both can be cured, and that ATHLOPHOROS will do the business. The best proof that it can do it is that it has done it.

It Did Cure

Rev. S. R. Dennen, D.D., pastor Third Congregational Church, New Haven, Conn. Rheumatism had kept him from the pulpit four or five months at a time. He says he had suffered all that one could, and live. He took his first dose of ATHLOPHOROS on Friday; Sunday he was in his pulpit; Monday he was well, and has remained so since.

Rev. William P. Corbit, D.D., pastor George St. M. E. Church, New Haven, Conn., was laid up for two months with inflammatory Rheumatism, suffering most excruciating torture. ATHLOPHOROS cured him, and he believes it to be infallible.

H. S. Chandler, of the N. Y. "Independent," says ATHLOPHOROS cured him of Rheumatism from which he had suffered for a year and a half.

Rev. W. B. Evans, Washington, D. C., says: "I consider its work almost in the light of a miracle. It is a most wonderful medicine. It ought to be spread through out the land."

It Will Cure

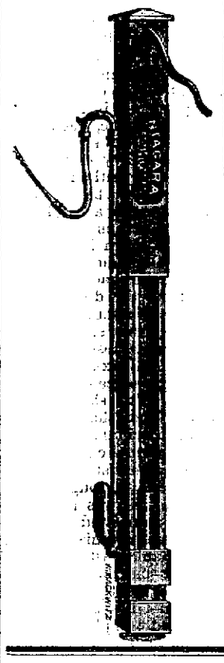
The great question is, Will it cure *me?* We believe it will. Is it worth trying? You must decide.

If you cannot get ATHLOPHOROS of your druggist, we will send it express paid, on receipt of regular price—one dollar per bottle. We prefer that you buy it from your druggist, but if he hasn't it, do not be persuaded to try something else, but order at once from us as directed.

ATHLOPHOROS CO., 112 WALL ST., NEW YORK.

Misses new styles 11 to 2 in Spring heel and common sense heel and toe, all kinds of leather and in all widths at L. L. Ferriss & Co's. Also new styles in ladies' and children's. prices down to the bottom of the well. j13 tf

Niagara Pump Co.



Force Pump Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps.

☞ TELEPHONE 183.

FACTORY, 141 & 143 MACON STREET, DECATUR, ILL.

CLEVELAND Agents wanted for authentic edition of his life; written at his own home, with his co-operation and assistance, by the renowned Goodrich. Largest, cheapest, handsomest, best. Elegantly illustrated. Costs more per copy to manufacture than the other lives that are sold for twice its price. Outsells all others ten to one. One of our agents made a profit of over $50 the first day. A harvest of gold will be realized by every worker. All new beginners succeed grandly. Terms free, and the most liberal ever offered. Save valuable time by sending 25 cents for postage, etc., on free outfit, which includes large prospectus book. Act quickly; a day at the start is worth a week at the finish.

H. HALLETT & CO., Portland, Maine, jaly16dlmw2m

THE LEADING

Stone Yard

JOHN I. PASOLD,
—Dealer in—

Building Stone, Window Sills, Door Sills, Water Tables, Sidewalks, Curb Stones, and Caps and Steps.

Largest Stone Yard in Decatur, Illinois

You Can Buy

Summer Cooking Stoves very cheap, at Wingate's Lamp Store, Central Block. j8dlw

The Wabash will sell round trip tickets to the following places at one and one-third fare, on the dates on which picnics and fairs will be given: Farmers' picnic at Stonington, on August 7th; Piatt county fair at Monticello, on August 18th; G. A. R. encampment at Sidney, August 20th; Champaign county fair, at Champaign, on August 26th. 7-dlw

J. R. RACE & CO'S

Sixth Annual

Free Distribution!

EVERY PURCHASER Of $5.00 WORTH Of GOODS

For Cash,

From our Large and Well-Selected Retail Stock, consisting of

Clothing

Hats, Caps, Trunks and Valises,

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Merchant Tailoring,

Will be Presented with a Ticket, entitling the Holder to One Share in our

FREE GIFT DISTRIBUTION!

Given Away March 7, 1885.

One $80 Hamsher Iron Felloe Farm Wagon, manufactured by the Decatur Iron Felloe Wagon Company.

One $55.00 Practical Business Road Cart, intended for general purposes, seats two, manufactured by Wayne & Anderson, manufacturers of the Champion Road Cart.

One $40.00 Sewing Machine. One $20.00 Man's Suit.

One $20.00 Saddle, Bridle and Whip, from J. W. Tyler, dealer in Fine Harness, Etc.

One $20 Man's Overcoat. One $18 Youth's Overcoat.

One Haworth Check Rower, manufactured by Haworth & Sons.

One set silver knives and forks, from Otto E. Curtis & Co.

One $13 Youth's Suit. One $15 Zinc Trunk.

One $15 Man's Ulster. One $15 Oil Stove.

One Fine Celluloid Toilet Set. One $10 pair pants to order.

One $10 Illinois Clothes Washer, manufactured by Boyd Braden & Co.

One $10 boy's suit. One $10 boy's overcoat. One $7 Morocco valise

One 10 piece decorated China chamber set, from R. Liddle, value $15.

One $7 child's suit. One barrel flour from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.

One barrel flour from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.

One $6 silk umbrella. One fine club bag value and strap. One $6 silk hat. One $5 child's overcoat.

15 prizes, each consisting of one bronze clock.

15 prizes, each consisting of one stem winding watch.

J. R. RACE & CO.

129—135 North Water St., - - Decatur, Ill.

CARPETS CURTAINS

—AND—

WALL PAPERS,

in Quality, Style and Coloring, surpassing anything ever brought to Decatur. Our prices, as usual, will be the lowest.

ABBIL & LOCKE.

FAMOUS and DECISIVE BATTLES OF THE WORLD.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Fail Not to Visit

—The Great—

Fair!

159 East Main.

5 and 10c Departments,

Dry Goods, Yankee Notions, Crocker, Glassware Tin and Japan ware. Woodenware jan21 1m

Novelty Spring

BABY CARRIAGES,

A Fine Assortment at

LOW PRICES.

—o—

The Celebrated

Hull's Vapor Stoves

With Davis & Blake's

Patent Safety Tank,

And all late improvements in Vapor Stoves, also

Refrigerators,
Ice Chests,
Water Coolers,
Hanging Lamps.
Furniture,

And anything you may need for Housekeeping at

Liddle's.

Fifth Ward Grocery.

JAMES DOUGHERTY,

—DEALER IN—

Groceries and Provisions, Flour, Queensware, Glassware, Tinware,

Coal and Wood!
Hay and Straw.

Having leased and removed to the capacious room, No. 1202 East Eldorado street, I have new a large and well selected stock of goods, which I will sell as cheap, if not cheaper than any other house in the city.

JAMES DOUGHERTY.

Danzeisen & Son

NEW MEAT MARKET

HAVE OPENED THEIR

NEW MEAT MARKET

—AT—

No1 6, Merchant St.

Which has been fitted up with new fixtures and everything put in the most complete order. We will keep constantly on hand all kinds of

Fresh and Salt Meats,

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Ham, Bacon, Sausage, Lard etc., etc., etc.,

WE SELL ONLY THE BEST QUALITY OF MEATS.

Danzeisen & Son.

THE REVIEW.

JACK & HIZE, Proprietors

DAILY.

Delivered by carrier or by mail, per week. $ 10
Three months in ADVANCE........................ 1 25
One year in advance, ... 5 00

WEEKLY.

By mail (in advance) one year. $1.00
If not paid in advance, per year........... 1.50
Specimen numbers sent free on application.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President,
GROVER CLEVELAND,
of New York.

For Vice President,
THOMAS A. HENDRICKS,
of Indiana

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
CARTER H HARRISON

For Lieutenant-Governor,
HENRY SEITER.

For Secretary of State,
MICHAEL J. DOUGHERTY.

For Auditor of State,
WALTER H. CARLIN.

For Treasurer,
ALFRED ORENDORFF.

For Attorney General,
ROBERT L. McKINLAY.

For Clerk of Supreme Court
E. A. SNIVELY.

For Clerk of Appellate Court.
GEORGE W. JONES.

THE young democrats of this city are the workers this year.

WHEAT now sells from 60 to 80 cents per bushel. Does protection protect the farmer?

THERE will be an important meeting of representative Germans of the state at Chicago, to-night.

HUNDREDS of furnaces and iron works are shut down, and their men are idle. Does protection protect the wages of labor in iron?

THE democrats of Maroa, Harristown, Niantic, Warrensburg and other points are setting those of Decatur a good example in the way of organization.

WE have not learned that a "Decatur Pastor" has revised his opinion of "Rev." Ball, D. D., of Buffalo, N. Y. We will be glad to see the "revised edition."

IT is predicted that when "Our Carter" comes to this city that he will draw an immense crowd of republicans. They will come to see if he really has horns, and if his feet are cloven.

THE Republican says "Our Carter" does not expect to be elected governor. This may do to tell "the innocents," but the democrats will show by their works by and by, that Carter will be the next governor.

THERE is said to be a very lively contest between Lawyer Vail and Farmer Johns for the republican nomination for states attorney. It will test the strength of the prohibition and anti-prohibition wing of the grand old party.

"HON." STEPHEN W. DORSEY, of star route fame, has declared for his old friend Blaine. He feels glad over the departure of the fine haired element of his party, represented by Curtis, Schurtz and others. Dorsey and Clayton, former partners in rascality as senators from Arkansas, are both shouting for Blaine.

THE Church Progress, edited by Rev. Charles Kuhlmann, says: "If there is such a thing as perfection in meanness, the republican press has attained it, in diving into the private character of candidates, and publishing scandals in which the public is nowise concerned, especially when there are no grounds for the charge."

The Boston Pilot, one of the leading Irish Catholic papers of the country, says: "The papers are overhauling Mr. Blaine's editorial utterances in Knownothing times, and they make a very bad record for him. Those who maintain on the other hand that his heart beats warmly for the oppressed of every land, are unable to point to a single speech or writing of his indicating such a spirit. Mr. Blaine himself does not say a word to support the idea that he would, if elected to the presidency, show himself any more friendly to adopted citizens at home or abroad than he was while secretary of state or editor of the Knownothing journal. Judged by acts, Mr. Blaine is at best coldly indifferent to the rights of naturalized citizens. Judged by his old-time utterances, he was bitterly hostile to them. If he has experienced any change of heart he carefully conceals the fact."

A DISPATCH from Peekskill, N. Y., where Henry Ward Beecher is stopping, says: "Gen. Horatio C. King, a member of Plymouth church, spent the entire morning with Rev. Henry Ward Beecher. Gen. King has just returned from Buffalo, where he had gone at Beecher's request to investigate the libelous stories circulated about Gov. Cleveland. The result of the investigation was altogether honorable to the governor, and Mr. Beecher, after expressing his pleasure at what he heard, declared his intention of continuing to give his fullest support to Cleveland. In conversation subsequently Beecher said that he had been undergoing a judicial process, but that now the clouds had broken away and he was beginning to understand that these stories about Cleveland were untrue and a vile slender. 'You can say,' he said, warmly, 'that I expect to brand the men who have promulgated these stories as blackmailers and liars, for I now see that the governor acted the part of a man in the whole affair. I shall take the stump for him, and tell the people of the country that they must elect him president. I shall enter this campaign with an enthusiasm second only to that with which I entered the war.'"

THE Chicago Tribune and other slush papers who are in the interest of the Jingo candidate, have failed to find a flaw in Gov. Cleveland's public record, and must needs stoop to private slander. The tools they use are characteristic of the business. "Rev." Ball's record has been shown up, and although vouched for by a "Decatur Pastor," it is very unsavory. Another tool is "Mr. Moore, a business man of Buffalo." A dispatch from Washington to the St. Louis Republican describes this fellow: "Moore is a special agent of the pension office and has been stationed at Buffalo. He was one of Keifer's witnesses in the late congressional investigation with the notorious Elder and Works, but was not examined, because it became known that the defense had a transcript of his indictment for conspiracy to defame a reputable citizen, and also the evidence to show that he had engaged in another conspiracy to fix a false charge of murder upon another citizen of excellent standing, and kidnap and imprison him on this charge in Texas to prevent him from being used as a witness against some of Moore's employers. He has been twice presented to the grand juries in this district for a criminal offence. His employment by Commissioner Dudley is a mystery, unless it be to use him for political dirty work."

THE Republican publishes Blaine's views of Know-Nothingism, as written in his "Twenty Years in Congress," but neglects to publish extracts from the Kennebec Journal, when he was its Know Nothing editor. It also neglects to publish Mr Blaine's views on indemnifying Virginia for the loss of West Virginia, during the war, found on page 466 to 469 of his book. It should have published these, and also his letter in favor of distributing the revenue from distilled spirits, and then tailed out the whole with one of the letters of the Mulligan series. say the following:

"AUGUSTA, June 29th, 1869.

"MY DEAR MR. FISHER: * * * Your offer to admit me to a participation in the new railroad enterprise is in every respect as generous as I could expect or desire. I thank you very sincerely for it, and in this connection I wish to make a suggestion of a somewhat selfish character. It is this: You speak of Mr. Caldwell's offer to dispose of a share of his interest to me. If he really desires to do so, I wish he would make the proposition definite, so that I could know just what to depend on. Perhaps if he waits till the full development of the enterprise, he may grow reluctant to part with the share; and I do not by this mean any distrust of him I do not feel that I shall prove a dead-head in the enteprise if I once embark in it. I see various channels in which I know I can be useful.

"Very hastily and sincerely your friend, JAMES G. BLAINE."

BY TELEGRAPH

Italy.

ROME, August 7.—Four earthquake shocks were felt this morning at Frascati, Albano and Castello Romani, a few miles southeast of Rome.

The Cholera.

PARIS, August 7.—An analysis of the water in common use at Marseilles, Aix and Arles shows it to be full of numberless microbes. The authorities of Marseilles will soon commence the construction of public water works to give occupation to the unemployed.

MARSEILLES, Aug. 7, morning—There were eleven deaths from cholera here during the last twenty four hours. There were two deaths here this morning.

TOULON, Aug. 7.—There were four deaths here last night; one of a person who returned yesterday. There has been a slight increase in the number of cases arriving to the great number of returning fugitives.

CHICAGO MARKETS

CHICAGO, Aug. 7, 1884.

	Aug	Sept.	Oct	Nov
WHEAT	80⅞	81¾	83	84⅞
CORN	52⅞	52¼	51¼	46⅞
OATS	28⅞	25⅝	—	—
PORK	24 00			
LARD	7 50	7 55	7.67½	7,55

Cattle—Receipts 6,800, best steady; common weak; exports $6 40 to $6 95 common to choice $4 60 to $5 05, Texans $3 50 to 4 75. Sheep—Receipts 2,000; steady; common to choice $3 to $4 75 Hogs—Receipts 13,000, irregular; light $5 50 to $6 15, rough packing $5 50 to $5 80, heavy packing and shipping $5 80 to $6 10

The Cleveland and Hendricks Club hat at B. Stine's. d&w-tf

THE "LIGHT OF ASIA."

What a Reporter's Examination of Adam Forepaugh's White Elephant Showed—Undoubtedly Genuine.

A Full Description of a Very Rare and Curious Animal—Impressions of Disinterested Persons.

[*Chicago Tribune, June 13, 1884*]

The Tribune reporter recently "saw the elephant." By this is not meant the gilded creature of city life that dazzles the eyes of the country visitor, but a living, breathing animal, such as few have the good fortune to look upon anywhere in life's journey between the cradle and the grave—a genuine white elephant of Siam, to the Hindoo the most sacred of all things earthly. This creature, known as the "Light of Asia," is attached to the great traveling show of Adam Forepaugh, and has been seen and admired by thousands at Philadelphia, Buffalo, Detroit, Bay City and Grand Rapids, along the way toward Chicago. In order that the public might know something of this rare and beautiful animal in advance, a reporter from Chicago and several others visited the show at Grand Rapids, where the beast excited great interest among the people. Under a canopy at one end of the menagerie, unshackled, and in the care of a single attendant, the party was introduced to the finest, most majestic, regal, and yet docile and beautiful specimen of the elephant family they had ever seen. The animal was without trappings, save a slender silken harness crossing the back and passing around the waist and neck, the straps of wich were closely studded with highly-colored jewels. The elephant is really stone-gray or about the shade of clean ashes. Aside from this distinction he is remarkable for his soundness of limb, the whiteness of his short tusks, and the shapely roundness of his body. The most careful examination fails to reveal the presence of foreign coloring matter. The skin is perhaps softer and thinner than that of the ordinary proboscidan, but that it is healthly and normal cannot be doubted either by scientist or novice. A long, careful and thorough examination of the animal was made. The reporter was permitted to pull his sacred ears and rub his holy snout and saintly flanks without exciting anything more than lofty indifference He even permitted the reporters fingers to be thrust into his nostrils and ears and seemed well pleased with the investigation, the result of which was certain to establish his high pedigree.

The harder sections of his skin are of an ashen color, and the flanks and softer portions between the forelegs, the inner lining of the nostrils and the ear-duct are a light transparent pink. The hair inside the funnel of the ear is of a light yellow, that between the forelegs and on the crown of the head the color of unbleached flax The nails of the middle toes are white, almost as white as the teeth, and in the strongest possible contrast to those of all other elephants of the ordinary kind, whose nails are as black as the hoofs of a horse.

Mr Forepaugh's white elephant possesses another feature which undoubtedly brands him as a member of the rare distinct race of sacred Siamese pachyderms. About halfway between the end of the snout and the mouth there is a perforation called the third nostril. It belongs to the species and is a singular characteristic That it is a natural feature and not a creation is shown by the gradual blending of the gray skin of the outside of the trunk with the pink lining, aside from which fact the perfect oval shape of the aperture and the ease with which the animal takes water with his trunk in spite of this outlet are worthy of attention. The "Light of Asia" is without a peer on American soil and is certainly the shapeliest elephant the reporter ever saw. His head is perhaps larger and broader in comparison with the size of his body than that of some elephants, but this seems more advantageous than detrimental. The creature is in perfect health, perfect in symmetry, without splotch, pimple or scratch. He has large, clear eyes, and a face so benign and compassionate that the Hindus may be forgiven for maintaining that the soul of Buddha, their Redeemer, was destined some day to slumber within the bosom of such a beast.

Mr. Forepaugh has numberless affidavits showing exactly where and how the prize was secured and also other sworn testimony obtained from the most eminent scientists willing to stake their reputations upon the statement that the skin is natural and free from all foreign substances. Dr Joseph Leidy, Professor of Anatomy in the University of Pennsylvania, and President of the Academy of Natural Sciences, gives the color as ash-gray, and says there is no perceptible evidence of artificial coloring. Dr. William S. Forbes, Demonstrator of Anatomy in Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, cut away hardened portions of the skin of the white elephant "Light of Asia," and also similar portions of the skin of ordinary elephants, and submitted them to microscopical tests, subsequently presenting Mr. Forepaugh with his certificate that the "Light of Asia" was, in contradistinction to other elephants, unquestionably a "white elephant," and that he had found the skin natural and healthly; that it was free from all foreign substances of every description, and that it performed its functions wells. Prof. Vaughan, of the Ann Arbor (Mich.) University, and Profs. Hoadley and Viele, of the Chicago College Physicians and Surgeons, and Illinois Academy of Sciences, and many other distinguished scientists have united in pronouncing "Light of Asia" a genuine white elphant.

The following is from Prof V. C. Vaughan, of Michigan University:

ANN ARBOR June 3.—By invitation of Mr. Davis, of forepaugh's show, I made an examination of the elephant "Light of Asia." The fullest opportunity for the examination was given There is no evidence of artificial coloring, and I fully concur with the statements of Profs. Leidy and Forbes. V C. VAUGHAN, M.D.,
Professer of Physiological Chemistry and Associate Professor of Materia Medica, Michigan University.

A. O. BREWER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in all kinds of

Home Made Bread, Cakes and Pies.

Everything as Fine as Silk.

BREWER, The Baker,

211 North Main Street, - - - Decatur, Illinois

THE CELEBRATED

Lion Brand SHIRT!

To be had only at the

POPULAR NEW YORK STORE!

Decatur, Illinois

Ask for and try one of these

Great Dollar Shirts,

—Manufactured Expressly for the—

POPULAR NEW YORK STORE.

—Made Throughout of Very Best Material.—

NEW SHIELD FRONT,

Patent Combination Seam, Cannot Rip. Is Roomy and Perfect Fitting.

YOU CANNOT GET

A Nicer Fitting or more Durable Shirt, no matter if you pay $2.00 or even $3 00. There can be No Better Shirt made than the

New York Store Lion Brand--Price $1.00

Try one and Be Satisfied.

Cheapest Dry Goods and Millinery

IN THIS CITY.

Prices no objection. Summer goods must be Closed Out to make room. The best Jerseys, the Best and Cheapest White Goods, the Newest Collars and Neck-wear, the Cheapest Lines of Hosiery ever offered. Now is the best time to buy. Don't miss the chance. Come quickly.

CART-WHEEL HATS AT 30 CTS.

S. C. HATCH & BRO.,

143 East Main St., - - Powers' Block

NEW SERIES

Of Stock in the

SAVINGS FUND BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

Subscription Now Open for the 6th Series,

Commencing TUESDAY, MAY 27th. at the office of

WARREN & DURFEE.

The very best kind of an investment for Monthly Savings, Real Estate Security and ample profits if you stay in, and 5 per cent interest if you withdraw

If you are TIRED PAYING RENT, buy a lot and, build you a house through a loan from the Association and own your dwelling at the end of he series clear of incumberance. may19dtf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Honest Old Abe,

Abraham Lincoln had a strong back Others may by using Benson's Capcine Porous Plasters 25 cents,

OFFICERS of the late war who were refused pay for the time between date of commission and official muster will find it to their interest to communicate promptly, and with PARTICULARS, with McNEILL & BIRCH, Attorneys and Solicitors, Drawer 457 Washington, D. C. No fees in advance, honorable dealing, highest references.

Parker's Tonic.

Family Medicine that Never Intoxicates

If you have Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, Kidney or Urinary complaints, or if you are troubled with any disorder of the lungs, stomach, bowels blood or nerves you can be cured by Parker's Tonic.

If you are wasting away from age, dissipation, or any disease or weakness and require a stimulant, take Parker's Tonic at once, it will invigorate and build you up from the first dose but will never intoxicate It has saved hundreds of lives, it may save yours

CAUTION!—Refuse all substitutes Parker's Tonic is composed of the best remedial agents in the world, and is entirely different from preparations of ginger alone. Send for circular,

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

The best, cleanest and most economical hair dressing. Never fails to restore the youthful color to gray hairs.

This elegant dressing is preferred by those who have used it, to any similar article, on account its superior cleanliness and purity. It contains materials only that are beneficial to the scalp hair.

Parker's Hair Balsam is finely perfumed is warranted to prevent falling of the hair an remove dandruff and itching.

HISCOX & CO.
163 William street, NewYork.
50c and $1.00 sizes, as all dealers medicines, in Great saving in buying dollar size.

Great Reduction

—IN—

Prices of Harness.

As follows:

SINGLE HARNESS:

From $9 00 to $6.00 per set.
From $10 00 to $8.50. per set, for road carts
From $13 to $10 per set.
From $15 to $12 per set,
From $11 to $11 per set.
From $12 to $9 per set. Full nickel mountings
From $18 to $15 per set.
From $23 to $18 per set
From $15 to $11 per set. Single strap,
From $19 to $15 per set, Single Strap.

DOUBLE HARNESS:

From $20 to $15 per set.
From $28 to $22 per set,
From $28 to $23 per set, full nickel mountings.
From $40 to $30 per set, full nickel mountings.
From $38 to $30 per set, Full Davis Rubber mountings

We carry as large a stock of

HARNESS

As any house in the west, all of our own make, which we offer at

Prices That Defy Competition.

We Will Save You Money,

On every article you buy of us,

Come and See Us at the Old Stand.

J. G. STARR & SON.

West Side of Old Square.

YOUNG MEN!—READ THIS.

THE VOLTAIC BELT CO., of Marshall, Mich., offer to send their celebrated ELECTRO-VOLTAIC BELT and other ELECTRIC APPLIANCES on trial for thirty days, to men (young or old) afflicted with nervous debility, loss of vitality and manhood, and all kindred troubles. Also for rheumatism, neuralgia, paralysis, and many other diseases Complete restoration to health, vigor and manhood guaranteed. No risk is incurred as thirty days trial is allowed Write them at once for illustrated pamphlet free.

The Democratic Club hat at B. Stine's. d&w-tf

OUR BARGAIN COLUMN.

HOUSE TO RENT—A house of four rooms with basement kitchen, cellar and cool house good well and sistern, 408 South Franklin street. Inquire at 309 South Franklin street. n8*1w

WANTED—A home for a bright active boy, ten years old, in a family who will send him to school and care for him properly. Also for a girl aged twelve—same conditions. Inquire of Mrs. J. W. CLARK, N. E. Corner S Main and Wood Streets. j7w1*

WILL sell or trade a side bar, adjustable top buggy, also a single set of harness.—J. H. DURFEE. j30d1w*

PUBLIC SALE—The undersigned will sell at public sale at No 732 West King street, Decatur, on Tuesday, Aug. 5th, 1884, his entire household goods, consisting of bedsteads bed clothing, 60 yds of good carpet, safes, cooking stove No, 8, tubs, chairs, dishes, glassware, 8-day clock, knives, forks, spoons, maps, charts, a Branson knitter almost new, scales, ice cream freezer and other articles too numerous to mention, Everything good as new. Sale at 9 o'clock sharp Terms, cash. NEWTON BEST. July22d2w*

REMOVAL—A T Summers, attorney at law, has moved his office to the elegant suite of rooms over the New York Store, on Water Street. If you want to borrow money in any amount, on real estate or personal property, or if you want any claims, accounts or notes collected, or any legal business properly and promptly attended to, give him a call. j16d3m

FOR SALE—The stock, fixtures, and good will of the Niantic hotel. Will be sold on easy terms. Inquire of T. H. CLAYPOOL, Niantic, Illinois. j9 tf

FOR SALE—A second-hand portable engine nearly as good as new Will be sold at a bargain Address, A. Manecke, Cerro Gordo, Illinois. m14d&wtf

WANTED,—Everybody to know that Logan & Abrams have a complete stock of fresh groceries which they sell at lowest possible prices. Store in opera block, room lately occupied by Pope & Stevenson f3d&wtf.

LAUNDRIES—Hop Hong's laundries, No. 152 South Main street and Basement room, corner New Deming Hotel. Shirts, 10 cts, collars, 3 cts, cuffs, 5 cts a pair; underwear, 2 for 15 cts. Work very day. 19m6

FOR PICNICS AND PARTIES.—I have a splendid new hack especially suitable for picnics and parties, and am prepared to answer calls on reasonable notice. My hack will comfortably seat 14 or more with lunch baskets. Terms reasonable. Apply at 575 West Main st j25d1mo GEO. P. NICHOLS.

MRS. M. L. CAIN.

Teacher of Elocution, Dramatic Reading, Oratory and Acting.

will reorganize her class for the Summer, commencing June 23d

Calisthenics, Physical and Vocal Gymnastics, after Mrs Cain's own method, giving grace and repose without enlarging the joints, suppleness and elegance without coarseness.

Madame Bestris and Sig. Brignoli's methods for the voice, combined with Mrs. Cain's own natural method of practical voice culture, by which any one can develop a good voice in a short time Drill in modulation and expression, by which ANY one may become a good reader. Bandenhoff and Delsarte systems taught

Special attention given to Impersonation, Dialect Bible and Shakesperian Studies

Drill class daily. Private lessons Class lessons, by arrangement, either in or out of the city. Lectures and essays written or revised.

Mrs Cain will be assisted by MISS WINTERS, from the celebrated Bandenhoff School of Oratory, New York City.

Public entertainments, engagements, secured. Appearances arranged for in New York, St. Louis or Chicago.

Business hours, 2 to 4 Mondays and Saturdays. Visitors' day, Wednesdays. from 2 to 10. june2dtf

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.

Estate of Andrew Ivans, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed administratrix of the estate of Andrew Ivans, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the third Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 27th day of June, 1884.
MARY V. IVANS, Administratrix.
june28-3w

Decatur School of Elocution.

MISS LENA HENKLE, dramatic reader and teacher of elocution, oratory and reading, its various branches, Classes meet Tuesday, Thursd'y and Saturday, Business hours Monday, from 2 to 5 p. m. Rooms in Haworth Block, 3d floor Elevator entrance on Water street. jan.4d6m - adid&wtm

To Land Buyers!

The undersigned, one of the executors of T. O. Smith, expects to be in Decatur by the middle of May, and is desirous of selling the land belonging to said estate, consisting, first, of that FINE STOCK FARM, on

WILLOW BRANCH,

2¼ miles west of Moaweqna; it contains

640 Acres, Prairie and Timber,

Has living water in abundance; has a fine two-story dwelling and two tenant houses, and a fine large bearing orchard. E. O. Smith, Jr., living close by will show the same. Also 81 ACRES of CLEARED and TIMBER lands near the Piatt county line and adjoining the lands of W. Peck It is fenced, has a small house, living stock water set in blue grass and clover. D P. Landers, Esq. will show it. Also 2 or 3 LOTS. with small dwelling and small warehouse, situated in the town of Oakley Also 2 LOTS, with small dwelling in the town of Forsyth. Also 80 ACRES of prairie land situated in the north west corner of Macon county—a part of the J. L. Evans land. I will be in Decatur for a short time, and this will be a favorable opportunity to get a bargain in choice real estate George W. Bright, at the Decatur National Bank, will represent me when absent. E. O. SMITH, Executor.
San Jose Cal.—May 1-d&wtf

GOLD MEDAL, PARIS, 1878.

BAKER'S Breakfast Cocoa.

Warranted *absolutely pure Cocoa*, from which the excess of Oil has been removed. It has *three times the strength* of Cocoa mixed with Starch, Arrowroot or Sugar, and is therefore far more economical. It is delicious, nourishing, strengthening, easily digested, and admirably adapted for invalids as well as for persons in health.

Sold by Grocers everywhere.

W. BAKER & CO., Dorchester Mass.

Farms for Sale.

A fine farm, in Maroa township, 1½ Miles east of the town of Maroa, the tract embraces 120 acres of as fine line as can be found in Central Illinois, with good house, barn, and orchard, all under good fencing, and in a high state of cultivation. Can be purchased cheap, on favorable terms. Inquire of BENJAMIN BURROWS, J19wlm. Maroa, Ill.

Railway Time-Card.

I. B. & W. R'Y

The Great Through Route

—Between the—

East, West, North and South,

—RUNNING—

Through Passenger Trains.

Sleeping and Reclining Chair Cars on Night Trains and Elegant Parlor and Modern Day Coaches on Day Trains.

Trains leave and arrive at Decatur as follows.

GOING EAST.

No. 22, Mail and Day Express............12:05 p m
" 24, Night Express............10:45 p m
" 26, Way Freight............7:45 a m

W. ST. L. & P. R'Y.

GOING EAST.

No. 44, Atlantic Express............11:55 a m
" 42, Lightning Express............10:45 p m
The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets.
Going East ....6.10 a m
Going East............4.36 a m

GOING WEST.

No. 43, Fast Line ....5:06 a m
" 47, Jacksonville Accommodation...... 6:40 a m
" 45, Fast Mail............3:35 p m
The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:
Going West ....12.30 p m
Going West ....10:40 p m

Chicago Division.

GOING EAST.

No. 4, Chicago Express............12:05 pm
" 2, Chicago Mail ....12:05 a m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 3, St. Louis Express............4:00 a m
" 5, St. Louis Mail ....3:22 p m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 5, St. Louis Express............4:05 a m
" 5, Fast Line............4:55 a m
" 5, Fast Mail............3 15 p m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 48, Chicago Express............12 15 a m
" 44. Atlantic Express............11.25 a m
" 42. Lightning Express............10.30 p m
The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:
Going West............6:00 a m
Arrive from West ....7:10 p m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East............10 40 a m
Leave for Champaign............4:00 p m

ST. LOUIS ACCOMMODATIONS

No. 1. St. Louis Accommodation ....6:20 a m
Pacific Express............3:55 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE R'Y.

GOING EAST.

Passenger............10:20 a m
Passenger............10.15 p m
Freight ....3.15 p m

GOING WEST.

Passenger............7:00 a m
Passenger............3:15 p m
Freight ....10:45 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R'Y.

GOING NORTH.

No. 2 Passenger............5:05 a m
No. 4 Accommodation............3:00 p m
No 10 Freight ....5:20 p m
No. 14 Freight ....5.15 p m

GOING SOUTH.

No. 1 Passenger............5:35 p
No. 3 Accommodation............10 15 a
No. 9 Freight ....8.35 a
No. 11 Freight............12 05

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

GOING EAST.

Mail and Express arrives at............11:25 a m
" " " leaves at ....11.35 a m
Local Freight arrives............4 20 p m
" " leaves............5:00 a

GOING WEST.

Mail and Express arrives at ....11:25 a m
" " " leaves at ....11.45 a m
Local Freight arrives............6:20 p m
" " leaves............5:00 a m

R. A. BA ET ent.
'G HCONKLIN. 'I Man'

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

Physicians.

DR. W. M. HARSHA.
Office, No. 127, N. Water St. Telephone 189, Residence 528, W. Prairie St. Telephone 186, f9ddtf

Attorneys.

WILLIAM T. CUNSINE,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC. Office No. 10, Water street, Conveyancing and Collections a specialty.

W. E. NELSON.
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR-AT-LAW. Office No. 10. South side City Park, Decatur, Ill

ALBERT G. WEBBER,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office, on first floor opposite post office, Decatur, Ill.

D. WALKER, W. J. WALKER
WALKER & WALKER.
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. Chancery and Civil business Solicited Office over Cheap Charleys store a13

R. E. ELDRIDGE. J. C. HOSTETLER.
ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Decatur, Ill. Office in Fenton's New building.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM.
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office South Side New Square, Decatur. Ills.

JOHN R. EDEN, C. C. CLARK
Sullivan, Ill. Decatur, Ill.
EDEN & CLARK.
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. Office over Millikin's bank, Decatur, Ill. Will practice in all its, especially in Macon and Moultrie counties

CHEAP HOMES!

Along the line of the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway, Texas & Pacific Railway and International & Great Northern Railroad are thousands of acres of the choiced, farming and grazing lands in the world, ranging in price from $2.00 to $3.00 and $4.00 per acre, in a healthy country, with climate unsurpassed for salubrity and comfort. Send your address to the undersigned for a copy of statistics of crops raised in Arkansas and Texas, in 1882, and make up your mind to go and see for yourself when you learn that the crop for 1883. is 50 per cent. larger than that of 1882. To those purchasing land owned by the company, and paying one-fourth, one-half, or all cash, a proportionate rebate is allowed for money paid for tickets or freight over the company's lines.

H. C TOWNSEND,
Gen'l Pass. Agent
ST. LOUIS, MO.

Women with pale, colorless faces who feel weak and discouraged, will receive both mental and bodily vigor by using Carter's Iron Pills. which are made for the blood, nerves and complexion. a3d&wlm.

NewspaperARCHIVE®
NewspaperARCHIVE®

THOUSANDS!

— OF —

REMNANTS !

Remnants of fine Dress Goods.

Remnants of American Dress Goods.

Remnants of White Goods.

REMNANTS

—OF—

Every Description!

—OF—

DRY GOODS!

—AND—

CARPETS

That Will Be Sold

WONDEFULLY CHEAP,

—Commencing—

MONDAY, JULY 7,

Linn & Scruggs.

THE REVIEW.

SATURDAY, AUG. 9, 1884.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Forepaugh will be the big attraction next week.

A Butler club will will be formed in this city to-night.

The Democratic Club hat, a daisy, at B. Stine's Bazaar.

Weather like yesterday, is well calculated to give fever and ague a boom.

Some of the doctors are predicting that there will be an unusal amount of sickness this fall.

The work of extending the street car line out West Main street, is being pushed rapidly forward.

The teachers attending the institute, will give a sociable at the tabernacle on Tuesday evening next.

Many a small boy has been treasuring up nickels and dimes that he may see Forepaugh's white elephant.

Life in Decatur would be very monotonus just now, if we did not have the license question to keep us interested.

The condition of Mr. Jacob Troutman at Harristown, is unimproved, and there is little or no hope of his recovery.

The Wabash will offer cheap rates to Springfield to-morrow to accommodate persons going to the encampment.

The republicans may not patronize Harper's Weekly any more, but the democrats are giving it a hearty encouragement.

The republicans are already showing the white feather. You can see it on the new style of soft felt hat they have adopted.

An editor would have to be a millionaire to attend all the county fairs for which he receives invitations and complimentary tickets.

John W. Tyler, jr., has moved his harness shop to the room formerly occupied by P. Perl, but more recently by Cheap Jake, the pawn broker.

Puck's illustration of John A. Logan and his relatives in the civil service is a good one. Buy Puck and laugh, even if the laugh is against you.

The Quincy iron molders have been on a strike for just five months, and are no nearer accomplishing their object than they were on the day they struck.

The final report of F. L. Wood, guardian of Maggie and Claude Walton, was filed in the county court yesterday, and was approved by Judge Greer.

Prompt relief in sick headache, dizziness, nausea, constipation, pain in the side, etc., guaranteed to those using Carter's Little Liver Pill. One pill a dose. 25c. j8d&w1m.

Harry Wheeler our war correspondent at Springfield, must have been put in the Guard house immediately upon arriving in camp He has not been heard of since he left home.

H. D. Gould, long a division freight agent of the Wabash, with headquarters at Peoria, has been transferred to Springfield and now holds the same position on this division.

Mrs. Henry Ahrens died at Altamont this state, yesterday morning of hemorrhage of the lungs. The deceased was a resident of this city The remains will be brought here for interment.

ANIOTON mountings for harnes are the best inuse. Will never rust or change their color. If you want the best call and examine the ANIOTON. For sale only by J. G. Starr & Son. j22dtf

Immense preparations are being made at Maroa for laying the corner stone of the new masonic temple, on the nineteenth. Lodges and commanderies from all neighboring towns will be present.

County Clerk Hardy has prepared an abstract of the taxes, penalties, interest and costs, owed to Macon county by the Illinois Midland for the years 1880, 1881, 1882 and 1883, which amounts to $9,770.88.

The school ma'ams who have been visiting in the city during the past week and attending the institute, returned home last evening, but will be back again next Monday. There will be but one more week of the institute.

A new half mile race track has just been completed at the farm of Mr John J. Childers, nine miles north of this city. There will be a trotting and running race, there this afternoon, which will be attended by farmers and others from the surrounding country.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is designed for those who need a medicine to purify their blood, build them up, increase their appetite, and rejuvenate their whole system. No other preparation so well meets this want. It touches the exact spot. Its record of forty years is one of constant triumph over disease. a5d&w1w

For its soothing and grateful influence on the scalp, and for the removal and prevention of dandruff, Ayer's Hair Vigor has no equal. It restores faded or gray hair to its original dark color, stimulates the growth of the hair, and gives it a beautiful, soft, glossy and silken appearance. a5d&w1w

Some people around town have been telling the story that Frank Falconer personates "a Decatur Pastor" as well as "a prominent commercial tourist of Decatur," to which the State Sentinel replies. "The "moral assassin" who raised the rumor that Rev. Frank Falconer is the "good Decatur pastor" who stands voucher for the bad Mr. Ball, of Buffalo, has earned a "recognition," if not a second hand crown from the hands of the imperial boss of Hades.

There will be a meeting this evening in the room over Roach, McReynolds & Co.'s store, for the purpose of forming a Butler club.

Sterrett Bros., formerly of Decatur, have located at 223 South Fourth street, in this city, for the sale of their fine Cleveland Bay, English draft and Clydesdale horses.—Springfield Register.

Eugene Stein, an accomplished musician and a composer of considerable ability, was married last evening at Lincoln, to Miss Gertie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Orin Carpenter The couple will make their home in Lincoln, Nebraska.

Mr. Will Ermentrout has bought out Singleton's barber shop, under the Decatur National Bank, and will fit it up in first class style, with four chairs, all manned by white artists. Mr. Singleton, we understand intends engaging in the restaurant business

Death has desolated the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. LaMon, No. 827 Condit street, taking from them their infant daughter, aged thirteen months and twenty-four days. The funeral will take place from the family residence at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. H. W. Trueblood conducting the services.

Decatur people will remember that a little over a year ago Christian Girl, was tried in the county court for insanity, but was discharged by a jury which pronounced him a sane man. His wife left him three times and he told her the third time was a charm. He has now run away with a Girl sixteen years old, for parts unknown.

Mrs. M. L. Cain, the Decatur elocutionist, assisted by the Misses Gracie and Lulu Fielder (aged 8 and 12 years respectively) will give an entertainment at Spooner & Sprague's hall to-night. The object is to raise money to assist in rebuilding the Madison church; and we trust that they will be greeted with a good-sized audience.—Blue Mound Cyclone.

The following items are taken from the Springfield Register of yesterday, in its report of the encampment: "Capt. Ellwood, of the Decatur company, was compelled to retire" from the parade ground on account of sickness yesterday afternoon. He is book-keeper for J. R. Race & Co, of Decatur."........"Visitors—At the Decatur company's quarters: Cal. Waggoner, of Millikin's bank; Will Henkle, of the C. B. & Q. check-rower company; and the Misses Stafford, of Decatur; and Fred Walters, of Rockford.

The Palmes Soap Co. received a letter yesterday from a merchant in Jamestown, Ohio, giving an account of the devastation recently wrought there by a cyclone. The Christian church was demolished, and aid is being solicited to rebuild it. The writer, who deals in and is familiar with the merits and worth of the Mexican Palmes Soaps, suggested that a small consignment for the benefit of the church would be acceptable—equally as much so as cash—and the company at once shipped him two gross. It is an easy matter to turn this soap into money where its merits are known.

Mr. L. H. Patterson, of Copake, Ill, adds his testimony to the mass that is daily received acknowledging the virtues of Athlophoros. He writes: "For the last five years I have been subject to severe attacks of rheumatism which would cause me the most excruciating pain in my chest. Was obliged to put myself under the doctor's care for two or three months at a time, and even then it was almost impossible to get any relief. The last time I was taken, my son was at home and I requested him to call the doctor, but he said he had heard of a new remedy for rheumatism, called Athlophoros, and advised me to try it I did so, and was relieved of all pain after taking one bottle."

The lease of life of the Chicago and St. Louis pool has again been extended It will be remembered that the notice of withdrawal of the Illinois Central would expire Aug. 15, but at a meeting held on Thursday, the Central was induced to extend its notice until Sept. 15. This was brought about by the fact that George M. Bogue, as special arbitrator, is now engaged upon the per centage award for the St. Louis passenger pool, and that his report will be submitted prior to Sept. 15. If all lines are satisfied with the passenger award, the freight pool difficulties can be more readily adjusted. The probability is that all matters will be satisfactorily arragned.

Theodore McEuen, formerly Wabash agent at Springfield, died from an overdose of opiates on Thursday morning. He has been despondent and nervous of late and has been using opiates to quiet his nerves, and it is supposed that on Wednesday night he unknowingly took more than usual which shortly afterwards resulted in his death. The deceased at one time resided in this city, having chosen this as his home on coming west from New York. He was a member of Elwood Commandery No. 6 Knights Templars, and was among the master workman of the blue lodge. His funeral took place yesterday morning, the remains being taken from Springfield to Tonawanda, New York, under escort of Elwood Commandery.

Show Excursion Rates.

The Illinois Central company will give the following round trip excursion rates to Decatur on August 14th:

Clinton to Decatur............	$0.65
Maroa "	40
Emery "	30
Forsyth "	25

Train arrives at 9 a. m; leaves at 5:45 p. m.

Pana to Decatur............	$1.00
Assumption to Decatur........	90
Moaweqna "	50
Walker "	40
Macon "	30
Elwin "	20

Train arrives at 9:10 a. m; leaves at 5:20 p. m

These rates will hold good only on show day, the 14th. 8dtf

PERSONAL.

Zach Pope has returned home from a western tour.

Ed Gay went to Bloomington yesterday afternoon.

Miss Spease, of Tuscola, visited Mrs. Silsby yesterday.

Miss Hattie Shoaff, of Paris, is visiting friends in this city.

Prof. J. N. Wilkinson is in Arcola, looking after his fence factory.

Miss Adele Shellabarger went to Springfield yesterday afternoon.

Captain Horace Morgan returned home yesterday from Stonington.

W. A. VanLeer, of Friends Creek township, was in the city yesterday.

L. W. Wood, representing Mulford, Carey & Conklin, of New York, is in the city

Mrs. J. D. Higgins has returned to Tuscola, after a few days visit with friends in this city.

Miss Nellie Hartwell, of Toronto, Canda, is a guest of Mrs. H. W. Bartholomew. She is a sister of Al. Hartwell.

Miss Anna Jack and Miss Davidson have returned home from Madison and other points in Wisconsin and Minnesota.

A. F. Smith, editor of the State Sentinel, left yesterday afternoon for Albany, Wis., where he will deliver a temperance talk next week.

Miss Jennie E. Howes, of Superintendent Bressie's office of the Pacific Express company, leaves to-day for Toledo. From there Miss Howse will go to Garden Grove, Iowa.

Dr. and Mrs. Gregory visited the Teacher's Institute yesterday. The doctor, who is a member of the Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C., delivered a short talk to the teachers.

Cal Waggoner and Will Henkle dined at the Leland while in Springfield, Thursday. Sizing them up from this fact, the State Register man wrote them up as two prominent Decatur citizens.

W. B. Powell, superintendent of the Aurora schools, was in the city yesterday, and addressed the Teacher's Institute. He was at one time a teacher near the Garver settlement in this county, and boarded at Ol. Stewart's house,

Tribute of Respect.

At a meeting of the W. F. U. S. of Stapp's Chapel, August 8th, the following resolutions were passed expressive of the tender regard felt for Mrs Brayton—the first place made vacant by death since the formation of this auxiliary:

WHEREAS, In view of the loss which we, as members of the W. F. U. S., have sustained in the death of our sister, Mrs. Mary Ella Brayton, who has with such sweet humility so characteristic of her daily life, loved and labored in the cause which we as a body represent, therefore

Resolved, That while in her death we mourn a sister beloved and in this sudden bereavement feel truly "smitten of God and afflicted," we learn from this hallowed influence a lesson of holy living, and that we for ever hold in sweet affection the memory of her, whose life was made beautiful in her zeal for God and humanity

Resolved, That while we deeply sympathize with her remaining loved ones in their desolation, we humbly commend them to Him who has said "and I will be their God."

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of the society, a copy presented to the family of the deceased, and to each of the city papers.

MRS. W. F. MYERS, Sec.

Benefit Association.

The miners employed at the Decatur coal company's mine, have formed a mutual benefit association. There are about one hundred and fifty men employed there, and each one is assessed fifty cents monthly to apply to a relief fund. If any miner is disabled by accident or sickness, he receives a weekly benefit of five dollars and upon the death of any member a special assessment of two dollars per man is made, and the amount realized presented to his family. The following are the officers: Mark Storin, president; James Charnock, secretary; Decatur Coal company, treasurer

Messrs. James Bailey, James Charnoch and Charles Kepler constitute an auditing committee. The association was but recently formed, but will result in much good. James Burns, who was killed in the mine yesterday, was a member, and his family will receive about three hundred dollars

Brilliant Ball.

A number of Decatur society young men, gave a brilliant ball at the St. Nicholas last evening, which was attended by thirty or forty couple. The new opera house orchestra furnished music and the pleasures of the occasion were maintained until one o'clock this morning Among those present from abroad were Mrs. John Wolgamot and daughter, Miss Dot, of Springfield Miss Nellie Hartwell, of Michigan City, Ind., Miss Grace Brostick, of St Louis, Miss Myra Sawyer, of Pekin, Miss Lottie Gillett, of Elk hart, Miss During and Miss Sherwood, of St. Louis The music was inspiring and a more pleasant time was never enjoyed on similar occasion.

Wabash Wreck.

A wreck occurred on the Wabash yesterday afternoon at Honey Bend. Ten freight cars jumped the track, making it impassable for several hours. The passenger trains from St. Louis did not arrive until after two o'clock this morning. As far as could be learned no one was injured in the wreck. The wrecking train left this city at seven o'clock, for the scene of the disaster.

THE DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

A Large Attendance and Good Speeches—The Business Transacted

The Young Men's Cleveland and Hendricks club held a meeting at the court house last evening, which was attended by several hundred voters Excellent music was furnished by the A. O H. band, which was highly appreciated. The band is making excellent progress, and is really equal to any band of the same number of members in the state. The democrats who attended the meeting last evening, manifested the closest attention in the proceedings, and in the speeches delivered by Messrs Buckingham and Ewing.

In the absence of the president, Mr. Eugene Pratt was chosen chairman.

The first business before the meeting was the election of seven members to the executive committee, which places were filled as follows: Cyrus Randolph, Will Snyder, Chas. Leforgee, Dan Bohon, F. Baldwin, Harry Roberts and C. N. Wagenseller.

The advisability of building a wigwam or securing headquarters, was discussed, but the matter was referred to the executive committee.

I. A. Buckingham was called upon for a speech, and responded in his usual stirring manner. He drew the line clearly between the democratic and republican party, showing that there was more of an issue than putting the latter party out and the former party in. In defining the issues he touched the tariff question and the granting of public lands to corporations, and showed the action of the republican party on these important matters which have never been in the interest of the people. His remarks were greeted by enthusiastic applause.

C. A. Ewing, esq, was next introduced, and for half an hour held the closest attention of his hearers. He congratulated the young democrats for the earnest manner in which they had entered the campaign, saying they were not only the hope of the democracy, but of the country. They were fully as capable of settling in their minds, questions of public interest as were the men of middle age. He truly said that the republican party presented nothing to induce young men to vote with them. In speaking of Blaine, he said his public record did not show his identification with any interests further than such as would result in personal gain. The republicans say he is a brilliant and magnetic fellow, but that is all. Mr. Ewing told of Purcell, the editor of the Rochester Union, having left the democratic party for purely personal motives While the Illinois delegation was in Chicago attending the convention, Purcell appeared before them, and in a speech urged that Cleveland be not given the nomination, but could not say a single word against his character. He advanced reasons for his not being nominated, which have since been found to contain no weight at all. He spoke at some length on the ability of Cleveland and his superiority over his political opponent. He told how the few republican papers now supporting Blaine, had before his nomination, branded him as a corrupt man. Mr. Ewing was frequently interrupted by applause, and the audience was well pleased with his remarks, which had a good effect.

At the conclusion of his speech, the club adjourned to meet at the call of the executive committee.

The Presidential Campaign

Promises to be lively and active, but W. A. Bridges will continue to be equally active in the interest of persons wanting paper hanging, decorating, painting or graining done. He is now doing a lively business, and his campaign will be one of artistic work and low prices. j101w

Decatur Club.

The members of the Decatur Club are requested to meet at their rooms on Monday evening, Aug. 11th, to hear the report of the committee appointed to confer with Mr. Holbrook on the matter of establishing a Normal school in this city. A full attendance is desired.

8d3t C. A. EWING, Pres.

B. of L. E. Sociable.

The sociable given in the lodge room of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers last evening, by the Ladies Auxiliary, was a delightful affair, and afforded all those present an evening of real pleasure. Invitations had been issued to a goodly number, and the attendance was quite large. The ladies who manage these sociables possess the right qualifications to make them successful. As yet they have never made a failure, and their efforts to make their guests enjoy themselves, are always appreciated.

Annual Re-union.

The annual re-union at Dinsman's grove, south of Niantic, will take place to-morrow. Revs. Northcut and Kane will speak. The local managers anticipate a large crowd in attendance. These re-unions have been held annually for several years, and give opportunity for renewing old friendships and forming new ones.

Democratic Meetings.

HARRISTOWN, Tuesday evening Aug. 12th, to be addressed by Messrs I. A. Buckinghan and C. A. Ewing.

WARRENSBURG, Friday evening, Aug. 15th, Hon. W. E. Nelson.

NIANTIC, Saturday evening Aug. 9th, for organization, local speakers.

MAROA, Wednesday evening, Aug. 13th, Hon. W. E. Nelson and I. A. Buckingham, esq.

Telephone for 5 Cents.

You cannot use the public telephone for 5 cents, but you can get one bar of "Telephone" laundry soap for 5 cents. It is manufactured by the Palmes Soap Co., and like all of their soaps, is purely vegetable. Don't fail to give it a trial. For sale by all grocers. a9 3t

COAL MINE ACCIDENT.

Patrick Burns Struck by a Falling Prop, and Almost Instantly Killed.

Patric Burns, a coal miner employed in the mine of the Decatur Coal Company, was struck by a falling prop yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock, while performing his work, and received injuries from which he died a half hour afterwards. He was at work in his room and was in the act of passing one of the props, which are used to support the roof, when a large chunk of coal fell, and striking the post, sent it with great force against Burns' breast. He was knocked senseless but his companions quickly got him to the surface. He was injured internally and lived but half an hour after the accident happened. Coroner Bendure was immediately notified and removed the remains to Bullard's undertaking establishment, where the inquest was held. John Graham was working in the room with Burns and was the only witness examined, his testimony being as follows:

Live in Decatur. Am a coal miner and work in the shaft of the Decatur Coal Company. Was working in the shaft with deceased. About three o'clock I noticed a crack in the coal overhead. Just as Burns was passing around a prop, a chunk of coal fell and knocked the prop out. It struck him and knocked him over. He lived about half an hour after being struck. He is about 68 years of age. The witness was called back and said the props were considered safe.

The following is the verdict of the jury:

State of Illinois, Macon county, S. S. In the matter of the inquisition on the body of Patrick Burns, deceased, held at Jacob Bullard's undertaking establishment on the 8th day of August, A. D. 1884, we, the undersigned jurors, sworn to inquire of the death of Patrick Burns or, oath do find, that he came to his death by the falling of one of the props in the coal shaft, being knocked down by the dislodgment of a large piece of coal in said shaft.

C. A. CARTER,
JNO. W. HARTLEY,
H. PLOTNER,
B. N. ADAMS,
G. M. BORER,
W. W. GRINDOL.

Burns was a widower and leaves five children to mourn his death. He was insured in the Decatur Miner's benefit association and from it his family will receive about three hundred dollars.

"B. Z. T." to the Front.

"B. Z. T." is a laundry soap now on the market, and for sale by all grocers. It is a soap manufactured by the Palmes Soap Co., purely vegetable. It is a laundry soap, with all the fine qualities of a toilet soap. Don't fail to give it a trial. a9 3t

Meeting Dem. Co. Central Committee.

There will be a meeting of the Democratic County Central Committee of Macon county, on

THURSDAY, AUG. 14,

at 11 o'clock a. m., in the grand jury room in this city. The object of the meeting is to organize by the election of a chairman and secretary for the ensuing two years, to fix the date of the Democratic County Convention, and to attend to any other business that may properly belong to the duties of the committee

B. K. DURFEE, Chairman.
H. W. WAGGONER, Sec.
Decatur, Ill., Aug. 7, 1884.

Send Money by American Express Co

Money Orders. Receipts given Money refunded if orders are lost, Sold stall offices of the Co. Payable at 6 500 places. Rates, $5, 5c.; $10, c.: $20, 10c.: $40, 15c.; $50, 20c. 6m

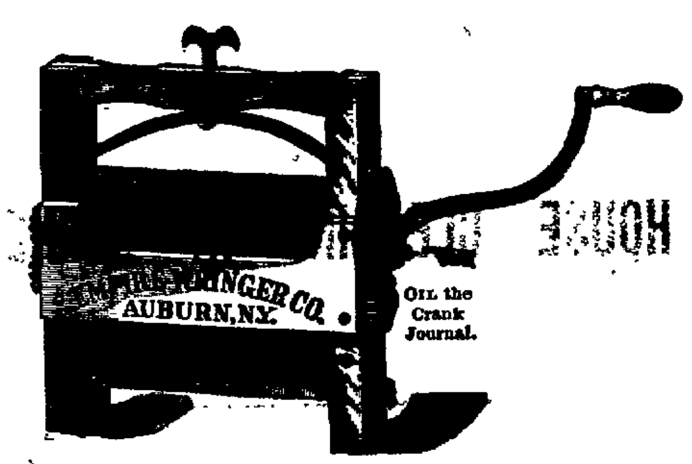
THE COMPLETE HOME. Agents Wanted for this beautiful book New edition.—New bindings.—New illustrations from new designs. Superbly gotten up. Same low price. Adapted to all classes. Sells at sight. Agents doing big work. EXCELLENT TERMS. The handsomest prospectus ever issued. Apply now. WM GARRETSON & Co., 177 S. Clark St., Chicago, Ills. Also other grand new books and Bibles.

30 DAYS' TRIAL!

Will cure Nervousness, Lumbago, Rheumatism, Paralysis, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Kidney, Spine and Liver diseases, Gout, Asthma, Heart disease, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Erysipelas, Catarrh, Piles, Epilepsy, Impotency, Dumb Ague, Prolapsus Uteri, etc. Only scientific Electric Belt in America that sends the Electricity and magnetism through the body. Agents Wanted Send stamp for Pamphlet. Dr. W. J. HORNE, Inventor. 191 Wabash Ave., CHICAGO.

TheEmpire

Is the Best Clothes Wringer Made.



Buy this in preference to any other Wringer, because it turns with

One Half the Labor.

THREE SIZES:

No. 3. 10 INCH ROLLS (for small families.)

No. 4. 11 INCH ROLLS (for large families.)

No. 5. 12 INCH ROLLS (boarding house hotel

☞SOLD ONLY BY

MOREHOUSE, WELLS & CO.

P. PERL.

EMBALMER

—AND—

Funeral Director,

140, 142, 144, 146 South Main St.

29d&wly TELEPHONE 58.

COAL!

The Decatur Coal Company Sell Coal at their Mine in Decatur,

At $1.75 Per Ton.

CAMPAIGN GOODS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Complete sample suit sent on receipt of $1.00. Sample Badge, 10c. Special price to clubs. Illustrated price list, free.

A. G. SPALDING & BROS., MANUFACTURERS, 108 MADISON STREET, CHICAGO.

Steam Heating.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received till 1 o'clock p. m., Saturday, August 23d, 1884, at the County Clerk's office, Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, for placing in the building used as a Court House, apparatus for steam heating to heat the following rooms: Court room, Sheriff's office, Petit and Grand Jury rooms, Treasurer's office, Circuit and County Clerk's offices. Bidders will be required to furnish parties desiring the building with plans and specifications. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

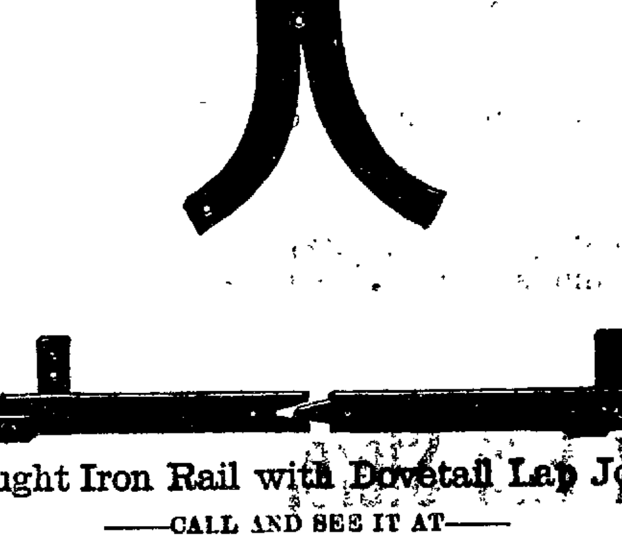
JAMES FREEMAN,
H. H. ROSENGRANTS,
M. P. FUNK,
J. R. HAYS,
S C. DAVIS,
Committee.

Jul16d&wtd

IMPORTANT TO

Builders AND Farmers.

No more Broken Hangers nor Barn Doors getting off the track.



Wrought Iron Rail with Dovetail Lap Joint.

—CALL AND SEE IT AT—

Ferguson & Dillehunt's

The Popular Water St. HARDWARE and STOVE HOUSE.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order and decree of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, Charles Laux, administrator of the estate of Jacob Stutzman, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the July term, A. D., 1884, of said court, to-wit: on the 15th day of July, 1884 I shall,

On the 18th Day of August Next,

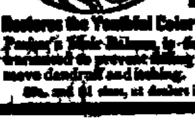
Between the the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon, and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county the real estate described as follows: The undivided one-fifth interest of the south half of the north half of the west half of lot number one, block number three, in the original town [now city, of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois. Also, the undivided one-fifth interest of lot number ten, in Thomas F. Potts' addition to the town of Morrisonville, Christian county, Illinois, situated in Macon and Christian counties, Illinois, on the following terms, to-wit:

TERMS OF SALE:—One-half cash on day of sale, and one-half in six months—the purchaser or purchasers giving note with approved security, and mortgage on premises sold, to secure deferred payments—all deferred payments to bear six per cent. interest per annum from date of sale, the purchaser or purchasers having the privilege to pay all cash on day of sale.

Dated this 17th day of July, A. D. 1884.

CHARLES LAUX,
Administrator of the Estate of Jacob Stutzman Deceased.
Walker & Walker, Att'ys

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM



This elegant dressing is preferred by those who have used it, to any similar article, on account of its superior cleanliness and purity. It contains materials only that are beneficial to the scalp and hair and always

Restores the Youthful Color to Grey or Faded Hair

Parker's Hair Balsam is finely perfumed and is warranted to prevent falling of the hair and to remove dandruff and itching. Hiscox & Co., N.Y. 50c. and $1 sizes, at dealers in drugs and medicines.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

THE ONLY

Great New York FIRE STORE.

HOUSE CLEANING IN EARNEST.

No Corner nor Crevice Left Unclean'd!

Not a sale of Odds and Ends; not a few Selected Lots; no trash, but the Entire Stock shares alike!

A Loss to Us Means a Gain to You!

Cast Your Optics over This!

DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS!

Purchase Now!

Our Entire Stock of Men's, Boys and Children's Suits must be closed, to make room for our LARGE FALL STOCK now coming.

The Loss we do not consider, must have the room.

N. B.—With this Great Cleaning Sale, we offer 863 OVERCOATS. Come and see them. Get our Prices.

York Fire Store,

He has also on hand

A Specialty.

Lewis' Condensed Baking Powder. D. H.

est Side Old Square.

llinois.

THE REVIEW

J[...]CK & MIZE, Proprietors.

127 [...]ast Main street, Decatur, Illinois

OLD WORLD NEWS.

More Favorable Reports from the Scourge—Cursed Cities—Great Reduction in the Death-Rate.

Contemplated Advance of French Troops on the Capital City of Madagascar.

The Austrian and German Emperors Meet at Ischl — The French Constitutional Convention.

General Foreign Intelligence.

THE CHOLERA.

MARSEILLES, Aug. 7.—Two deaths from cholera occurred between the hours of noon to-day and 6:40 last evening. The record of Pharo Hospital is as follows: Admitted, 8; cured, 5; died, 2; under treatment, 59. The town has assumed a more animated appearance.

In view of the distress among their class the workingmen's societies have decided to hold a grand congress on Sunday, to take concerted action for the relief of men who are now out of work. The meeting has been licensed by the municipal authorities, who have, however, instructed the police to break it up in case it is controlled by the Anarchists.

The refugees are returning in great numbers, and while their return is premature it is necessary on account of the privation and hunger which prevails in the camps.

Dr. Dutrieux Bey, of Alexandria, who was placed in charge of the Marine Hospital at Toulon, has presented his report, covering the time of the plague. He says that there were thirty cases of choleric symptoms at the hospital that were entered as diarrhea, but developed later into Asiatic cholera under an increased temperature. The doctor will submit the report to the Paris Academy and to the Congress at Copenhagen.

TOULON, Aug. 7.—One death from cholera was recorded here yesterday and there was one at Lasyne.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 7.—The *Journal de St. Petersburg* denies that there is cholera or any other epidemic prevalent in Russia.

ROME, Aug. 7.—It is officially declared the sanitary condition of the country is improved. No fresh case of cholera has appeared at Pancalieri. One case is reported at Monteuotte of a person from France.

MADRID, Aug. 7.—Spain has decided to establish a quarantine of ten days against vessels from Italian ports infected with cholera, and seven days against those from other Italian ports.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—An outbreak of English cholera has occurred at Northampton, owing to the scarcity of water. An entire family have been stricken. No deaths have occurred.

OTHER FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The *Times'* dispatch from Madagascar, July 25, reports: "The French are displaying the greatest activity in drawing mules by requisition. General Willoughby is at Taratatte, with 10,000 Hovas, who are mainly relying on the fortifications and torpedo pits. Measures have been taken to retire, if necessary, to Ambosi, fifty miles inland. One-half the French troops that have reached Madagascar from Tonquin have been sent to Majunga and will form a second army, to march from Majunga to the capital. The native Premier is peaceably disposed, but fears that he will lose his head. The French are suffering much from dysentery and fever.

CAIRO, Aug. 7.—Eight of the Turkish mutineers at Assoul were sentenced to death, and two were shot at Abassyet today. The sentences of the others were commuted to servitude for life.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—England and Holland offer to raise the blockade of Tenom and give the Rajah one hundred thousand rupees if he will release the crew of the British steamer Niser, wrecked on his coast last autumn. If the Rajah refuses England and Holland will combine to punish him.

ISCHL, Aug. 7.—The Emperors William and Francis Joseph arrived yesterday. The meeting between the two was most cordial. The Empress Elizabeth received both at Ischl Station. An immense concourse assembled outside of the station. The Austrian Emperor and Empress escorted William to his hotel. Later there was a grand dinner at the Imperial Villa.

PARIS, Aug. 7.—Prime Minister Ferry has addressed a formal note to Lord Lyons, British Minister to France, in which he declares that England continues to be bound by the protocol signed at the Constantinople conference, and that she must again consult the powers in the event of any change in the financial arrangement of Egypt. The *Republique Francaise*, referring to the action of Germany in the Egyptian conference and the hostile attitude of Count von Munster, says:

The intention of Prince Bismarck was surely no mystery to Gladstone. Bismarck would be delighted to see France, beguiled by his ingenious flatteries, begin a regular conflict with England. France, strong in her imperishable rights, strong in the support of Europe, would not permit the slightest injury to the interests of the national creditors of Egypt.

PARIS, Aug. 7.—The *Figaro* states that Admiral Courbet has been ordered to bombard Foo Chow Arsenal to-day unless the garrison surrenders. Advices from Foo Chow say the Chinese have stopped the courier service between that point and the landing point of the cable.

TANGIER, Aug. 7.—The Sultan of Morocco has caused the massacre of a white trible in Angora Kabila, because they asked for French protection. The men were killed and the women and children made slaves. Five thousand men from different tribes have gathered to attack the Chief of Ouadzan, and war with France is probable.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The advanced Liberals held a noteworthy meeting here yesterday. The House of Lords was the subject of their deliberations. They resolved to establish a league which should labor for the reform of that ancient body. What they wish to accomplish is to deprive the Peers of their power of legislative veto and to abolish hereditary peerage altogether. A committee was appointed to take the matter in hand.

Reunion of Confederates.

DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 7.—Five thousand veterans of the Union and Confederate armies are encamped here. A special train was tendered to Jefferson Davis, who contented himself with a lengthy letter, his wife accompanying it with a statement that the physical condition of the ex-President prevented him from meeting his former comrades. Mr. Davis complains that the veterans of the war with Mexico have been the subjects of special discrimination.

The Fastest Time.

QUEENSTOWN, Aug. 7.—The steamship Oregon arrived here yesterday, making the trip in six days, thirteen hours and twenty-eight minutes, the fastest time on record.

Big drive in Gents' Low Cut Shoes at L. L. Ferris & Co's. Go there now. Also their Gents' $3.00 high cut, stylish shoes, with their name and price stamped in the sole, are new, good and unequaled anywhere. uly16d&wtf

TOTAL ABSTINENCE.

Fourteenth Annual Convention of the Catholic Union of America Now in Session at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—The fourteenth annual Convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America was commenced in the Central Music Hall yesterday morning at 8:15 o'clock, at which time Rev. Father James Cleary, of Wisconsin, President of the Union, called the delegates to order and led the convention in prayer. The Secretary, Philip Nolan, of Philadelphia, then announced that high mass would be celebrated at ten o'clock this morning in the Cathedral of the Holy Name. E. J. Jennings, of Scranton, Pa., and M. J. Dooner, of Savannah, Ga., were elected Assistant Secretaries of the convention. It was then resolved that a telegram should be sent to Cardinal McCloskey, thanking him for a kind letter of approval sent in connection with the convention. After the appointment of a Committee on Credentials, the convention adjourned until two o'clock p. m. At the Cathedral solemn high mass was celebrated, the sermon being preached by Rev. Walter Elliott, of New York.

At the afternoon session the annual report of the President was read. It was an address setting forth the aims of the organization. It declared undying opposition to the liquor traffic, and at various points the reading was interrupted by applause. Total Abstinence Societies, it said, are the most potent agencies now at work against the evil of intemperance. They are educators which is making a sentiment that must, in time, destroy the liquor traffic. The organization was reported to be in excellent condition, and it was recommended that a campaign fund be raised to carry on the work of extending the order.

The report of Secretary Nolan was presented. It showed that the union contains 612 societies, divided into twenty-six subordinate unions and twenty-six detached societies. Fifty-seven societies have been admitted during the year and sixty-five societies have been dropped. The total membership is 39,446, a gain of 2,448 during the year. The societies are distributed as follows:

Baltimore, 1; Boston, 30; Brooklyn, 12; Chicago, 19; Connecticut, 28; Illinois, 19; Indiana, 22; Louisiana, 5; Louisville, 14; Mobile, 3; New Brunswick, 8; New Hampshire, 8; New Jersey, 21; New York, 42; Ohio, 35; Pennsylvania, 55; Philadelphia, 77; Providence, 19; San Francisco, 5; Savannah, 3; Scranton, 54, Springfield, 17; St. Paul, 58; Wisconsin, 23; Colorado, 2; Delaware, 2, District of Columbia, 1; Georgia, 1; Iowa, 5; Kansas, 1; Kentucky, 2, Maine, 1; Maryland, 2; Mississippi, 2; Montana, 1; Oregon, 1; Prince Edward Island, 1; South Carolina, 1; Tennessee, 1; Texas, 1; Virginia, 1.

Treasurer J. D. Bowles reported that the total receipts of the union for the year amounted to $1,573, and the total expenses $1,260, leaving $313 in the treasury.

The report of the Committee on Credentials entitled 581 delegates to seats in the convention. The place for the next meeting will be chosen to-day.

The convention adjourned at 5:45 o'clock to meet at ten o'clock to-day. At 6:30 o'clock requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of the souls of deceased members of the union.

Last night a mass-meeting was held at Central Music Hall, the structure being crowded to its utmost capacity. Archbishop Feehan, of Chicago, presided. Addresses were delivered by Right Rev. John Ireland, Bishop of St. Paul; Archbishop Elder, of Cincinnati; Bishop Watterson, of Columbus, and several lesser lights.

A Homeless Girl's Fatal Mistake.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—John W. Funk, residing in Harlem, was awakened at three o'clock yesterday morning by footsteps on his front porch. In another moment Mr. Funk heard the blind opened and saw a face at the open window. Thinking it was a burglar, he fired his revolver. At daybreak Louise Hiseman, a pretty domestic, aged nineteen, was found dying in the street opposite Funk's house with a bullet-hole in her forehead. She had lost her place the day before, and last night, being turned out of her home by her father, had gone to Funk's porch to sleep. She merely peeped in the window from curiosity. Funk was arrested and held without bail.

Ben Butler Says He Will Run.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—The following letter has been sent to the *Sun*:

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 7.—*To the Hon. Charles A. Dana, Editor of the New York Sun*: As a means of reaching more querists than I can do in any other way, I write to you this note for such use as you may choose to make of it. My answer to the querists is: I do intend to stand by the nominations for the Greenbackers and laboring men and Anti-Monopolists and I hope everybody will vote for me who thinks that it is the best thing to do. I will give the reasons for my action, which are controlling, to the public as soon as I can have the benefit of Mr. Cleveland's letter of acceptance, so that where I disagree with him I may do him no injustice. Very truly your friend and servant,

BENJAMIN F. BUTLER.

Going to Fill Up the Ticket.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—The following notice will be sent to-day to every member of the National Anti-Monopoly Committee:

Under instructions from the convention of May 14, it becomes the duty of the National Committee to select a candidate for Vice-President of the United States. For this purpose, and for the transaction of other important business, the members of said committee are hereby notified to meet at the headquarters in the Briggs House, Chicago, at eleven o'clock a. m., Saturday, August 16, 1884. You are earnestly urged to be present.

JOHN F. HENRY, Chairman.
B. F. SHIVELY, Secretary.

New Jersey Republicans.

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 7.—In the Republican State Convention yesterday the following candidates were nominated for Presidential electors: Albert Merritt, of Camden; Israel S. Adams, of Atlantic; Simon Van Mickle, of Middlesex; Lewis H. Taylor, of Hunterdon; Henry L. Butler, of Passaic; Gardner R. Colby, of Essex, and Thomas Potter, of Hudson.

Frederick A. Potts and John Taylor, of Mercer, and Dr. Charles W. Hagen and Carl Leutz, of Essex, were named for Electors-at-Large.

Explosion and Fire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—By an explosion of benzine in Charles Fauke's dyeing-works on Forty-sixth street, yesterday morning, Edward Lindenberg, the engineer, and Peter Bretz were shockingly burned. The front of the building (five stories) was blown into the street, and the building and stable, with two horses, were burned. A beer saloon adjoining was also demolished. Loss, $30,000. The affair caused great excitement. It is feared that Lindenberg will die.

Restricting the Output of Gold.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—In order to avert as much as possible a continued decrease in the gold reserve, which now amounts to a little over $117,000,000, as compared with $142,000,000 on May 1, it has been decided to restrict the further payment of gold certificates from the Treasury, and, where possible, to make payments in other funds than gold or its immediate paper representative.

The Presidential Campaign

Promises to be lively and active, but W. A. Bridges will continue to be equally active in the interest of persons wanting paper-hanging, decorating, painting or graining done. He is now doing a lively business, and his campaign will be one of artistic work and low prices. j10d1w

LIFE IN A SOLDIERS' HOME.

The Inmates Tortured by Unfeeling Surgeons and Otherwise Rendered Miserable.

DAYTON, O., Aug. 7.—The testimony given yesterday in the Soldiers' Home investigation was as varied and interesting as on the two first days. Joseph Ensign assailed the management from personal knowledge, cited cases of undue severity, and corroborated the testimony of others concerning acts of cruelty. He was subjected to a severe cross-examination, which resulted in his asserting that the home authorities were driving the trade of their drinking inmates to a certain saloon because its proprietor was the bondsman of the chief financial officer of the home. Dr. Garner, ex-assistant physician of the institution, and still an inmate, testified that Dr. Dunlap treated a patient cruelly, using instruments on him in a brutal manner simply because he had to treat the case. The doctor also said the food was often unfit to eat. Richard Holt testified that he came to Dayton to see his wife, who was visiting here; that she became sick, and that he was unable to return within the time specified by his pass. For this he was thrown into prison without being allowed to make an explanation. The Board of Managers was in session at this time, and all testimony was supposed to be secret. Holt was induced to tell his story. Lieutenant Piper was present and heard what he had to say, and since then life had been a burden to him. He swore he had been hounded like a cur at every step, had been arrested for talking to lady visitors explaining features of interest about the institution, interrupted and jostled about by the police. The man's story was told fearlessly in the presence of General Patrick. He is an intelligent person with sound mind, but of broken down constitution, the result of prison life.

PAYNE MUST GET OUT.

A Military Movement Against the Oklahoma Invaders.

CALDWELL, Kan., Aug. 7.—General Hatch moved his headquarters from this city into the field Tuesday, the camp being twenty-five miles southeast on the Chickaskia River, where six companies of the Ninth Cavalry are concentrated. His future movements are not made public, but there is no doubt that, from this time forward, blows will fall thick and fast until the last intruder has been expelled. An impression prevails that the nest at Rock Falls, a few miles below Hunnewell, will be raided first, the printing press and belongings confiscated and the contents of the notorious drug-store destroyed, and that Payne and his ringleaders will be marched to Fort Smith to answer numerous indictments in the Federal Court. The valley settlement will probably be cleared up next by detachments of troops striking simultaneously from numerous camps along the Cimarron and the north fork of the Canadian rivers. Every consideration possible will be shown the women and children, but the men, especially old offenders, must take the consequences of their unlawful and high-handed conduct. All improvements will be destroyed. The best information attainable places the number of "boomers" at two thousand.

Congressional Nominations.

Democrats in the Third Maryland District nominated Dr. William Cole, those of the Fourth, John V. L. Findlay, and in the Sixth, Fred. J. Nelson.

John E. Lamb was unanimously nominated for re-election by the Democrats of the Eighth Indiana District.

Barnes Compton received the Democratic Congressional nomination in the Fifth Maryland District.

The Nineteenth Illinois District Convention placed in nomination the present member, R. W. Townshend.

Other nominations yesterday were: J. S. Barbour, Democrat, Eight Virginia District; J. D. Patton, Democrat-Greenbacker, Kittanning District, Pennsylvania; Milo P. Smith, Republican, Fifth District, Iowa; Charles E. Gibson, Democrat, First Maryland District.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Aug. 7.—At 9:30 yesterday morning the 530th ballot of the Eight Congressional District was cast, each county standing solid for its own candidate, just as on the first ballot.

Promotion for the Arctic Survivors.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—It is understood that Secretary Lincoln has decided upon promoting the survivors of the Greely party. Steward Biederbeck and Private Carroll will be made Sergeants, and Sergeants Brainard, Freiderick and Long Second Lieutenants. Lieutenant Greely, it is understood, has refused to accept promotion to a Captaincy except through the ordinary course. This action on his part is highly appreciated by those officers whose promotion would have been deferred for two or three years had he accepted office. He will be ordered to Washington about November 1.

Either Dead or Alive.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—At the office of O'Donovan Rossa's *United Irishman* a number of men were yesterday discussing the "proclamation" which has just been issued by the "Irish Invincibles" offering $5,000 reward for the capture of "Jim" McDermott, who is alleged to have betrayed Dr. Gallagher, of Brooklyn, and others to the British Government. The further sum of $3,000 will be paid for the body, living or dead, of Matthew E. O'Brien, British spy, McDermott's associate.

Exports of Provisions.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The total value of exports of domestic cattle, hogs, beef, pork and dairy products for the six months ended June 30, was $43,837,419, against $54,357,704 for the same period last year. Beef and pork products for the eight months ended June 30, $57,570,538, against $67,679,841 for the corresponding time in 1883. Dairy products for the two months ended June 30, $2,663,966, against $2,090,420 for the same time last year.

Base-Ball.

Games Wednesday resulted as follows:

National League: At New York—New York, 2; Providence, 1. At Chicago—Chicago, 13; Cleveland, 4.

American Association: At Pittsburgh—Brooklyn, 7; Allegheny, 0. At Louisville—Louisville, 6; Cincinnati, 3. At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 6; Toledo, 3.

Union Association: At St. Louis—St. Louis, 8; Cincinnati, 6. At Philadelphia—Keystone, 4; Boston, 3 (ten innings).

Utah's Chief Justice.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 7.—Judge C. S. Zane has tendered his reignation as Judge of the Sixth Judicial District to accept the position of Chief Justice of Utah. It is thought that Hon. William L. Gross, of this city, will be his successor.

The Democratic Campaign hat at B. Stine's. d&w tf

Go at once and see L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s Fine Gents' $3 shoes. None genuine without their name and the price stamped in the sole. Largest stock, best goods and lowest prices in Decatur. j13tf

Lowest prices made on the Democratic Club hat at B. Stine's. d&w tf

ST. GEORGE'S OF NORTH AMERICA.

The Purport of the Convention Soon to Be Held in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—At a largely attended meeting of the St. George's Society, held at the Chicago Yacht Club Rooms Wednesday night, the arrangements for the eleventh annual convention of the North America St. George's Union were completed by electing Joseph Wright, H. Cheatle and H. Baragwanath, delegates. The convention is to be held from August 20 to 22, in the Sherman House, of this city, and will be attended by delegates from Auburn, Baltimore, Bay City, Boston, Bridgeport, Charleston, Chicago, Cohoes, Minneapolis, New York, Omaha, Oswego, Philadelphia, San Francisco, Syracuse, Utica and Washington, and from Barrie, Guelph, Halifax, Hamilton, Kingston, London, Montreal, Ottawa, Quebec, Toronto, Windsor, and Winnipeg, in Canada. The business and social features of the convention will be made as interesting and attractive as can be attained by the well-known hospitable character of Englishmen.

The ends sought to be obtained by the convention are to ascertain the best means for conducting existing societies and organizing new ones; to popularize the literature of Shakespeare; the check the immigration to the United States of indigent and incapable people, and to discuss whether in lieu of separate English, Scotch and Welsh societies there ought not to be at each place where such societies exist a single British society.

Mysterious Shooting Affair.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 7.—Yesterday afternoon Alexander Merriman, a photographer, went to the residence of Mrs. John Rodd, on Arch street, in Allegheny, and asked for her son-in-law, Benjamin Moore, a prominent young business man. Merriman was shown into the parlor and Moore, in a few minutes, followed him into the room. What passed between them is not known, but in less than five Minutes after Moore entered the room the sharp report of a pistol was heard, and Merriman ran out of the house. Moore was found lying on the floor with a bullet-hole through his left side. An examination showed that the ball had passed through both lungs, inflicting a wound which, in all probability, will be fatal. Merriman went immediately to the Mayor's office and gave himself up. Both refused to say anything about the shooting. Moore is a widower, his wife having been dead about a year. Merriman is married, having a wife and family.

Didn't Think They Were Doing Wrong.

MONTREAL, Aug. 7.—Schwab Bros., from whom the customs officials made a seizure of watches and jewelry last week, have placed their case in the hands of Girouard, Q. C., and will show that they made the entry in a bona-fide spirit and in the belief that they were acting entirely in accordance with the tariff laws. The goods seized were shipped by Joseph Fahey & Co., of New York. Schwab Bros. and A. & A. Sanders, of Montreal, say they had no knowledge that trickery was resorted to by the New York firm in making out invoices. The department is resolved to confiscate every dollar due Fahey & Co., as the law here directs that no firm can legally collect money due on goods fraudulently entered on a false invoice in the customs.

ANIOTON mountings for harnes are the best inuse. Will never rust or change their color. If you want the best call and examine the ANIOTON. For sale only by J. G. Starr & Son. j22dtf

On the 8th of August, the Wabash will sell round trip tickets to Mackinac Island, at $14, for the round trip. Tickets will be good returning until August 18th. dtd

For ornamenting glass for doors and transoms. W. A. Bridges leads the van with his perfect sand blast. He shows excellent specimens of work in that line, and his rates are surprisingly low. j10w

Excursion to Northern Dakota.

The Illinois Central R. R. will run an excursion to points in Northern Dakota, leaving Decatur at 3 p. m., August 18, 1884, at the following round trip rates: Decatur to Bismark, $23; to La Moure, $23; to Carrington, $23; Devil's Lake, $23; Necke, $22; Grand Forks, $20 50. Return tickets good for 30 days. For further information apply to the under signed at Manchester, Iowa.

J. F. MERRY,
Gen. West. Pass. Agt.

HALL'S
Vegetable Sicilian
HAIR RENEWER

was the first preparation perfectly adapted to cure diseases of the scalp, and the first successful restorer of faded or gray hair to its natural color, growth, and youthful beauty. It has had many imitators, but none have so fully met all the requirements needful for the proper treatment of the hair and scalp. HALL'S HAIR RENEWER has steadily grown in favor, and spread its fame and usefulness to every quarter of the globe. Its unparalleled success can be attributed to but one cause: *the entire fulfilment of its promises.*

The proprietors have often been surprised at the receipt of orders from remote countries, where they had never made an effort for its introduction.

The use for a short time of HALL'S HAIR RENEWER wonderfully improves the personal appearance. It cleanses the scalp from all impurities, cures all humors, fever, and dryness, and thus prevents baldness. It stimulates the weakened glands, and enables them to push forward a new and vigorous growth. The effects of this article are not transient, like those of alcoholic preparations, but remain a long time, which makes its use a matter of economy.

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE
FOR THE
WHISKERS

Will change the beard to a natural brown, or black, as desired. It produces a permanent color that will not wash away. Consisting of a single preparation, it is applied without trouble.

PREPARED BY
R. P. HALL & CO., Nashua, N. H.
Sold by all Dealers in Medicines.

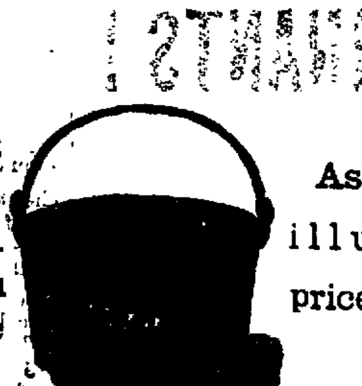
FOR ALL THE FORMS OF Scrofulous, Mercurial, and Blood Disorders, the best remedy, because the most searching and thorough blood-purifier, is

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Sold by all Druggists; $1, six bottles, $5.

Granite Iron Ware.

LARGE STOCK AND LOW PRICES.



By only that stamped "Granite Iron Ware" and you will get the best.

Ask for our illustrated price list.

Close, Griswold & Co.

Full Value

—Always Given.—

Diamonds!

Fine and Stylish Jewelry, Gold Watches That are Timekeepers, and Elegant Silverware.

Our Stock in Quantity, Quality and Style is

Unequaled in Decatur.

Buy Everything You Want in This Line From

W. R. ABBOTT & CO.,

Where Nothing is Misrepresented.

Varney's Hotel.

MAROA, ILLINOIS.

Thoroughly renovated and refurnished is now open to the traveling public, with assurance of first class accommodations at all times.

Respectfully
A. H. VARNEY,
Maroa.

mr c2-9;

BOTTLED BEER.
—FOR—
Private Families.

Orders left at my Bottling Works,

COR. EAST MAIN & JACKSON STS.,

Will be promptly attended to. Goods delivered to any part of the city. Orders from abroad solicited.

FRED KUNY

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®